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Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to inform you of prior art that may apply to U.S. patent application titled "Tandem-Free Intersystem Voice Communication" filed on July 29, 2008 and assigned serial number 181972.

On April 4, 2006, I was issued US Patent number 7,023,819 B2, titled "Method for Reducing the Number of Vocoder in a Wireless Network."

I believe that my invention constitutes prior art as related to the above application.

I have sent the attached letter to the inventors' attorney to inform them of this matter. I trust that they will submit the proper disclosure form.

Regards,

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Dear Mr. Dehaemer,

I am writing to you in your capacity as attorney for Qualcomm Communications in their filing of U.S. patent titled "Tandem-Free Intersystem Voice Communication" filed on July 29, 2008 and assigned serial number 181972.

I would like to bring to your attention some prior art in the matter.

On April 4, 2006, I was issued US Patent number 7,023,819 B2, titled "Method for Reducing the Number of Vocoder in a Wireless Network."

I trust that you will declare this to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO), as required by law. I also plan to send a copy of this letter to the USPTO.

If you would like to discuss this matter, feel free to contact me at the email address or telephone number listed below.

Regards,

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